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<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		U.S.APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>09/673435</b>	
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/EP99/01986</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>23 March 1999</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>29 May 1998</b>	
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>METHOD FOR REMOVAL OF ATM CELLS FROM AN ATM COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE</b>			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Herbert Heiss and Raimar Thudt</b>			
Applicant herewith submits to the United States /Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:			
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay. 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination will be made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.</p> <p>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).</p> <p>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3)) a. <input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</p> <p>8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). <b>Executed</b></p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</p>			
<b>Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:</b>			
11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98; ( <b>PTO 1449, Prior Art, Search Report</b> ).			
12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included. <b>(SEE ATTACHED ENVELOPE)</b>			
13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A <b>FIRST</b> preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> preliminary amendment.			
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16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Submission of Drawings - <b>Three sheets of Drawings</b> b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXPRESS MAIL #EJ077704261US dated October 18, 2000.			

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Title: "METHOD FOR REMOVAL OF ATM CELLS FROM AN ATM COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE"

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Enclosed are the following documents:

PTO 1390 in duplicate;  
International Application as filed  
English Translation  
Information Disclosure Statement, References, Search Report, Form 1449  
Preliminary Amendment  
Three sheets of Drawings  
Executed Declaration  
\$860.00  
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